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June 3, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Maarten W. T'Hooft

Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Title: SUPPORT INTERFACE MODULE

Serial No.: 10/007,633 Filed: November 9, 2001

Examiner: David E. England Group Art Unit: 2143

Docket No.: P-7046

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2005 in the above application:

1. Return receipt postcard;
2. Check in the amount of \$120.00 for Extension of Time fee;
3. This Transmittal Letter (2 pages);
4. Amendment (12 pages); and
5. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page).

- No additional claims fees are required.
 The additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	12	- 20	= 0	x \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	4	- 4	= 0	x \$200.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$290)					0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$ 0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
Subtotal					\$ 0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)					0.00
TOTAL					\$ 0.00

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed.

- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on June 3, 2005.



Attorney for Applicant(s)

June 3, 2005

Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2005,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

1. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and
2. Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.